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Graham A. Colditz, MD, DrPH, *Chief*

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Conducting a randomized trial in rural and urban safety-net health centers: Added value of community-based participatory research



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Health insurance for Asian Americans, Native Hawaiians, and Pacific Islanders under the Affordable Care Act



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Division News Briefs

- The Division of Public Health Sciences **congratulates [Joaquin Barnoya, MD, MPH](#)**, associate professor of surgery, on receiving a **four-year R01 multi-primary investigator award** from the Fogarty International Center at NIH to evaluate how electronic cigarettes are impacting Guatemala and Mexico. Read the [news announcement](#).
- Join the Program for the Elimination of Cancer Disparities (PECaD) on July 31 at the **groundbreaking ceremony for the new Siteman Cancer Center at Christian Hospital**. [Town halls](#) are also scheduled on August 27, 28, and September 8 for



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We are a team of researchers and clinicians dedicated to preventing disease, improving health outcomes, and promoting quality and access to health care.

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community members to voice opinions about the new Siteman Cancer Center at Christian Hospital.

- The **5th Rural Cancer Disparities WUSTL Siteman-SIUSM Partnership Retreat** will be held **August 24** from 9:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. in the Taylor Avenue Building. This retreat is sponsored by the [Siteman-SIUSM Rural Cancer Disparities Partnership](#) and is a chance for WUSTL and SIU investigators, area clinicians and community members to come together for a day of networking and learning about cancer disparities in the rural southern Illinois region. A detailed schedule and request for official RSVPs will be available at a later date.
- **Media Notes:** 1) [Adetunji Toriola, MD, PhD](#), wrote June's blog for the [Gateway Region YMCA](#) on Men's Health Month. 2) [Reuters](#) interviewed [Graham Colditz, MD, DrPH](#), on the link between a low fat diet, and breast cancer survival odds. 3) The [United States Department of Defense](#) created a research video featuring [Bettina Drake, PhD, MPH](#), and her research on prostate cancer in VA hospitals. 4) [Popular Science](#) spoke with [Graham Colditz, MD, DrPH](#), about alcohol intake and cancer risk. 5) [Hank Dart, MS](#), was featured discussing the health benefits of melons for July's [In Good Taste segment](#). 6) [St. Louis Public Radio](#) interviewed [Adetunji Toriola, PhD, MD, MPH](#), on cancer risk associated with a recent report on Cold Water Creek. 7) July's [Gateway Region YMCA blog](#), provided by [Jean Hunleth, PhD, MPH](#), explains the role of children as caregivers.

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